I claim;

2. A plastic composition comprising:

- a. a plastic compound comprising a molten polymer-based substrate and
- b. additive means admixed with said molten polymer-based substrate for imparting a disagreeable taste to the plastic and
 - a water-soluble compound with a disagreeable taste admixed with said molten polymer-based substrate;
 - said water-soluble compound wherein the compound is denatonium benzoate in a ratio of between 0.2 and 2.5 grams of denatonium benzoate to 100 grams of said molten polymer-based substrate, whereby chewing animals are repelled by said imparted disagreeable taste.

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 - ii. said water-soluble compound wherein the compound is one of the watersoluble chemical analogues of denatorium benzoate in a ratio of between 0.2 and 2.5 grams of said chemical analogue of denatonium benzoate to 100

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